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# EXPO '67 INVITES AMATEUR ARTISTS TO PARTICIPATE IN FESTIVAL OF ARTS

Orchestras, folksingers, majorettes, choral groups, pianists, guitarists . . . all Canadian amateur performers are being invited to participate in the Festival of Arts planned for the 1967 World Exhibition in Montreal.

Glay Sperling, the man responsible for amateur participation at Expo, addressed the Canadian Convention of Music Educators in Calgary recently, and urged all amateur orchestras, groups, dancers, singers and instrumentalists to send in their applications in writing as soon as possible.

A panel of judges from all over Canada, will make a preliminary selection

## IN-SERVICE CANDIDATES SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE THREE YEARS STUDIES









Five candidates have successfully completed three years of the Recreation In-Service Course, and have been awarded "Alberta Recreation Director" certificates. The successful candidates are, left to right, Mary Bennefield of Red Deer, George Talbot of Taber, George Baker of Valleyview, John Zahara of Ponoka, and (no photo) Len Frankson of Red Deer.

and the amateurs thus chosen will participate in gala entertainment plans at the Exhibition.

It is expected at least five band-shells will be constructed for entertaining the crowds all over the islands of Expo site. All applications or requests for further information should be directed to: Mr. Glay Sperling, Head of Amateur Section, Canadian Corporation for the 1967 World Exhibition, Place Ville Marie, Montreal, Quebec.

#### RECREATION AND CULTURAL DEVELOPMENT BRANCH

#### PURPOSE

The purpose of the Branch is to assist communities with the organization and operation of broad recreation and continuing education programs that offer opportunity to all; and to encourage talented residents of the province, so that they may best realize their own potential and whenever possible, give leadership and service to their community, thus contributing to the cultural development of the nation.

The Branch offers leadership training, consultative services and financial assistance to communities in developing organization and program.

The staff of this Branch will be pleased to offer you any assistance when requested. Use their knowledge to help build your community programs and citizens.



Lyn Anderson Calgary



Keith Carscadden Medicine Hat



Glenn Cudmore Calgary



Carolyn Dyck Edmonton



Julius Fodor Edmonton



Marlene Hurl Calgary



**Ed Johnston** Calgary



Patricia Ridley Morrin

#### ATHLETIC AND OUTDOOR EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

CRAFT

SCHOLAR-

SHIP

WINNERS



John Schellenberg Calgary



Donald Beaubier Calgary



Carol Breen Calgary



Robert Bozak Calgary



Mamie Hill Calgary



Rosland Higgins Calgary



Mrs. L. Holgerson St. Albert



Leslie C. Manning Calgary



William Morton Calgary



Bev Nodwell Calgary



Judy Svendsen Edmonton



Eileen Taylor Calgary



Lyle Tweeddale Calgary

#### LIBRARIANSHIP SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS



E. M. Foss Edmonton



Mrs. M. Hepwood Calgary



A. F. Kostyk Edmonton



Miss R. T. Lyons Miss I. L. Minich Calgary



Calgary



Mrs. K. Pratt Medicine Hat



Miss S. E. Stratford Calgary



Miss A. L. Swanson Calgary

#### 1965 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS 1965



Colette H. Gagnon Edmonton



Robert C. Game Edmonton



Eddy Cheress Edmonton



John S. Hall Calgary



Steve Helecka Iron Springs



Bernadette Low Calgary



Betty Oponovich Picture Butte



Frank Vervoort Lethbridge



Jan Vriesen Edmonton



Tony Wilson Edmonton

#### VISUAL ART SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS



Raymond Baron Edmonton



John Bayliss Calgary



James Beck Edmonton



Allan Bleviss Edmonton



Richard Dennison Calgary



Royle Harris Edmonton



Albert Holt Calgary



Margaret Kopala Edmonton



Arthur Marguet Calgary

#### DRAMA SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS



Susan McFarland Edmonton



Patricia Noonan Edmonton



Anthony Pydee Medicine Hat



Douglas Riske



Philip Silver Edmonton



John Somers Edmonton



Evan Stewart Edmonton



Lois Sulyma Edmonton



Henry Tersen Taber

#### SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS



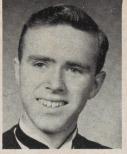
Lynn Barber Calgary



J. C. Beckstead Calgary



Miss G. J. Boyd Cambria



J. E. Butler Edmonton



Miss D. F. Carr Calgary



B. E. Dandeneau Spruce Grove



Miss S. T. Fahlman Edmonton



W. J. Fawcett Edmonton



Linda Flitton Calgary



Miss S. L. Heath Edmonton



G. M. Howie Waskatenau



D. M. Wolfe Edmonton



D. W. Jackson Calgary



Miss G. J. Liddell Edmonton



Pat. E. Lynkowsky Myrnam



Cecil H. Pretty Edmonton

#### MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS



N. G. Pulos Edmonton



D. H. Rhein Edmonton



K. R. Stromberg Edmonton



Miss M. A. Unrau Edmonton



M. O. Wengryniuk Edmonton



Miss A. B. Blain Edmonton

No Photo- Miss H. Wrobel Edmonton

#### 1965



Judith Adams Calgary



Donna Ball Edmonton



Barbara Ann Berry Calgary



Beverley Carter Calgary



Henriette Evelein Calgary



Candice Harris Edmonton

#### DANCE SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS



Nancy Lee Hays Edmonton



Beatrice Lefroy Calgary



Arlene Lupul Calgary



Susan Passmore Edmonton



Julie Patterson Calgary



Wendy Robison Coaldale



Patricia Ross Calgary



Taras Semchuk Edmonton



Catherine Shier Calgary



Donna Sorochan Edmonton



J. Leslie-Spinks Edmonton



Anne Stevenson Edmonton



Loretta Stewart Calgary



Marilyne Troock Edmonton



David Walker Edmonton

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## REASONS Why Recreation Boards Play a Vital Role in any Community

7. Recreation Boards serve as the immediate sounding board on new developments.

7th in a series of 12 from the Recreation & Cultural Development Branch.

### TOWN OF PONOKA REQUIRES

#### RECREATION DIRECTOR

For Details Apply
D. L. SAUNDERS
SECRETARY-TREASURER
BOX 1029
PONOKA, ALBERTA

## ARTS GROUPS FORM SUB-COMMITTEE FOR CENTENNIAL PLANS

Representatives of various Performing and Expressive Arts groups from different areas in the province and the chairmen of the Provincial Advisory Boards on the Arts, met recently with provincial Centennial officials to discuss the formation of a Performing and Expressive Arts Sub-Committee. Purpose of the meeting was principally to discuss terms of reference for the Committee, and to establish liaison between provincial groups and the Federal Centennial Commission, Expo '67 officials and business and other private organizations.

Terms of reference for the Committee were established as follows:

- 1. To survey the province with respect to the various Performing and Expressive Art groups and their present intentions for the Centennial Year.
- 2. To encourage Performing and Expressive Art groups that do not presently have Centennial plans to develop a Centennial Year program.
- 3. To investigate the possibilities of some groups within the province performing outside their local area for 1967.
- 4. To act as liaison between performing groups within the province and possible sponsors.
- 5. To co-ordinate and schedule the activities of Performing and Expressive Art groups of provincial, national and international origin.

The following persons were present at the initial meeting: Mr. Walter Kaasa, Director of Recreation and Cultural Development Branch and Chairman of the Committee; Dr. A. R. Kempton, Chairman, Provincial Recreation and Cultural Development Board; Mrs. A. P. Hunter, Chairman, Provincial Library Board; Mr. Frank Bueckert, Chairman, Provincial

#### Fitness Bursaries and Scholarships Available Through Recreation Branch

The Recreation and Cultural Development Branch will again be administering Undergraduate Scholarships and Bursaries for the National Fitness Directorate.

To be eligible, applicants must be undergraduates enrolled in the first, second, third or fourth year of a program leading to a Bachelors Degree in Physical Education or Recreation in a recognized university in Canada.

Scholarships are available to students entering the first year of the Physical Education or Recreation Degree Program, with a matriculation average of 70% or over.

Bursaries are granted on a combination of need and scholastic ability and are available to students in first, second, third or fourth year of the Undergraduate Degree Program. Both scholarships and bursaries may be awarded in amounts up to \$500.

#### Dates to Remember

July 24-25 — Alberta Decathlon Championships, Edmonton.

July 23 - 25 — National Diving Championships, Red Deer.

July 27-31—National Swimming Championships, Red Deer.

July 31 - August 2 — National Water Polo Championships, Edmonton.

August 7 — Alberta Open Track and Field Championships, Calgary.

August 9-21 — Summer Residential Drama Seminar, Drumheller.

August 21 - 22 — Canadian Decathlon Championships, Lethbridge.

September 4-5 — Alberta Swimming Championships, Red Deer.

September 12 — Northern Alberta Track and Field Championships, Edmonton.

October 3—City Cross Country Track and Field Championships, Edmonton.

October 29-31 — Recreation Board Workshop, Banff.

#### SUMMER SYNCHRONIZED SWIM FESTIVAL AUGUST 28

The Third Annual Summer Synchronized Swim Festival sponsored by the Alberta Amateur Synchronized Swimming Association, will be held on Saturday, August 28, 1965, at 7:30 p.m. The Festival will take place in the North Branch of the Y.M.C.A., located at 635 - Northmount Drive, Calgary. This demonstration is restricted to summer clubs only, and any summer club interested may make application to:

Mrs. Frances Samson, 87 - Holden Road S.W. Calgary, Alberta.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from:

Recreation and Cultural Development Branch Room 424 Legislative Building EDMONTON, Alberta

Drama Board; Mr. Cyril Mossop, Chairman, Provincial Music Board; Dr. B. Wayne Matkin, representative, Lethbridge area; Mr. John Holgersen, Chairman, Edmonton Civil Centennial Committee; Mr. John Jacox, representative, Edmonton Allied Arts; Mr. Len Milne, representative, Grande Prairie area; Mr. H. Stewart, representative, Medicine Hat area; Mr. Ken Higham, alternate dele-

gate for Mr. Brian Priestman; Mr. Benny Greene, representative, Calgary Allied Arts; Mr. E. Plewes, Manager, Northern Alberta Jubilee Auditorium; Mr. Claude Blackwood, Manager, Southern Alberta Jubilee Auditorium; Mr. Bill Wearmouth, Chairman, Calgary Civil Centennial Committee; and Senator Donald Cameron, Director, Banff School of Fine Arts and Continuing Education.